

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Kevin Williams et al.	Examiner:	Elizabeth A. Plummer
Serial No.:	10/573,453	Group Art Unit:	3635
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Title:	A DEVICE FOR JOINING PANELS		

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination.

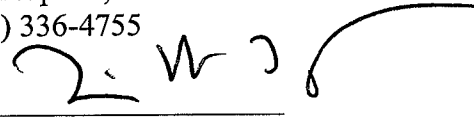
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Respectfully submitted,

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